

ASK THAT PROHIBITION BE MADE NATION-WIDE

North Carolina Methodists Adopt
Resolutions Memorializing Con-
gress to Submit Amendment.

DRASTIC LAWS ARE FAVORED

Church Wants District of Columbia
Made "Dry" and More Stringent
Statutes Enacted for Prohibition
at Home—Conference Figures.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

WILMINGTON, N. C., December 4.—

The conference of the North Carolina Methodist Episcopal Church, South, in annual session here, to-day adopted resolutions memorializing Congress to submit to the States for ratification an amendment providing nationwide prohibition, and asking for the enactment of a law to prohibit the sale of liquors in the District of Columbia. The conference also declared for more stringent prohibition laws in North Carolina. The following figures, compiled by the statistical secretaries of the conference, but which will not be announced to the conference until Monday, will prove of special interest to the entire conference and Methodists elsewhere as well as additions to the church on profession of faith the past year, 5,975, an excess of 1,000 over the number added the year previous; present total church membership in the conference, 59,451, a net gain of 4,156 for the year; infants baptized, 1,155, an increase of nearly 300; Sunday school enrollment, 73,525, an increase of 2,600; and contributions to foreign missions, \$23,455, an increase of \$6,000; paid to home and conference missions, \$20,351, an increase of \$599; paid to presiding elders, \$15,641, an increase of \$1,009; paid to pastors, \$187,000, an increase of \$3,906; total of money raised for all purposes, \$524,224; value of churches, \$2,421,254.

N. M. McDonald and H. M. Jackson, former members of this conference, who had been readmitted into the traveling connection to-day.

Memorial Church, Durham, was selected as the place for holding the next session of the conference.

M. T. Plyler objected to readmitting one preacher, who has defective eyesight. "We take them in handicapped," he said, "and later they make demands that they must be taken care of and kept out of debt."

We have many men in the conference now who never make demands nor ask favors of bishops or presiding elders." The applicant, however, was readmitted.

Bishop Kilgo spoke to the conference of the recent gift of J. B. Duke to the two conferences in North Carolina, a total of \$15,000 annually. Of this amount, \$10,000 has been placed in the hands of the trustees of Trinity College for the benefit of supernumerary preachers; \$15,000 has been deposited with the general board of church extension for church extension work in this State, and \$10,000 is to be applied to mission work, the only restriction Mr. Duke has made being that it be applied to work in the country churches, he having told Bishop Kilgo that the only religion that is worth anything is that which comes from the country.

T. N. Ivey, a member of this conference, and editor of the general organ of the church, published at Nashville, announced that outside of Nashville, the only presiding elder in the church to send as many as 100 subscriptions to the general organ is C. T. Adams, of the Elizabeth City district.

Members of the conference will preach in local pulpits on Sunday, and the conference will adjourn early Monday afternoon, it is confidently expected.

PUTS ON BIG GASOLINE CAR TO COMPETE WITH JETNEYS

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
RALEIGH, N. C., December 4.—The Southern Railway Company is arranging to put in service a big gasoline passenger car between Raleigh and Durham, which will make a trip about every hour of the day, on schedules that will not interfere with the regular train service. It is understood that this move is in opposition to the Durham Jetney lines which have developed the past few months quite successfully. However, it is probable that the Southern will very soon extend this gasoline car service beyond Durham, to take care of the congested passenger travel in the Graham, Haw River, and other sections of the road between Durham and Greensboro.

FORMER POLICE CHIEF FINED IN POLICE COURT

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
HOPEWELL, VA., December 4.—Former Chief of Police W. D. Henderson, of Hopewell, who was deposed by Judge West during the investigation of the powder town police force, which led to the arrest of Police Lieutenant Porter, was fined \$10 by Judge Britton in Police Court here to-day for using improper language on the street. Officer Evans arrested Henderson last Sunday evening, when he refused to drive ahead when ordered to do so by the officer, who claimed that the former chief of police was blocking the traffic on Railroad Avenue with his buggy. He charged Henderson with having used abusive language to him, and today in Police Court testified that he believed the former chief was drinking.

This makes the second time that former Chief of Police Henderson has been fined in Police Court here since being deposed.

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The Weather

Forecast: Virginia—Fair Sunday and probably Monday; not much change in temperature.

North Carolina—Fair Sunday and probably Monday; not much change in temperature.

Local Temperature.
12 noon temperature, 46
3 P. M. temperature, 42
Maximum temperature to 8 P. M., 42
Minimum temperature to 8 P. M., 29
Mean temperature, 36
Normal temperature for this date, 43
Deficiency in temperature, 7
Deficiency in temperature since March 1, 259
Accumulated deficiency since January 1, 111

Local Rainfall.
Rainfall 24 hours ending 8 P. M., 0
Deficiency in rainfall since March 1, 7.65
Deficiency in rainfall since January 1, 4.41

Local Barometer Readings.
Barometer (reduced to sea level), 30.15
A. M. temperature, 44
Barometer (reduced to sea level), 30.25
P. M. temperature, 30.25

Local Observations at 8 P. M.
Temperature, 31; humidity, 55; wind, direction, northeast; wind velocity, 7; state of weather, clear.

CONDITIONS IN IMPORTANT CITIES.

Place	Temp.	Wind	Weather
Ashville	45	48	59 Clear
Atlanta	52	52	36 Rain
Baltimore	52	49	28 Clear
Boston	52	49	28 Clear
Buffalo	52	49	28 Clear
Calgary	52	49	28 Clear
Charleston	52	49	28 Clear
Chicago	52	49	28 Clear
Cincinnati	52	49	28 Clear
Cleveland	52	49	28 Clear
Dallas	52	49	28 Clear
Denver	52	49	28 Clear
Des Moines	52	49	28 Clear
El Paso	52	49	28 Clear
Galveston	52	49	28 Clear
Hartford	52	49	28 Clear
Houston	52	49	28 Clear
Indianapolis	52	49	28 Clear
Jacksonville	52	49	28 Clear
Kansas City	52	49	28 Clear
Los Angeles	52	49	28 Clear
Madison	52	49	28 Clear
Memphis	52	49	28 Clear
Montgomery	52	49	28 Clear
New Orleans	52	49	28 Clear
New York	52	49	28 Clear
Omaha	52	49	28 Clear
Oklahoma	52	49	28 Clear
Philadelphia	52	49	28 Clear
Pittsburgh	52	49	28 Clear
Raleigh	52	49	28 Clear
San Antonio	52	49	28 Clear
St. Louis	52	49	28 Clear
St. Paul	52	49	28 Clear
Savannah	52	49	28 Clear
Spokane	52	49	28 Clear
Tampa	52	49	28 Clear
Washington	52	49	28 Clear
Wichita	52	49	28 Clear
Winnipeg	52	49	28 Clear
Wytheville	52	49	28 Clear

MINIATURE ALMANAC.

Sun rises, 7:11
Sun sets, 4:55
HIGH TIDE, 2:15
MORNING, 3:15
EVENING, 4:01

THROUGH TRAINS FROM RICHMOND TO HOPEWELL

Chamber of Commerce Officials Have
Question Up With Railroads—Hope-
for Prompt Action.

No definite agreement has been reached between the Chamber of Commerce and the Norfolk and Western Railway in regard to operation of a through train between Richmond and Hopewell.

The Chamber of Commerce, returned Friday from a trip to Hopewell in the interest of the proposed schedule, but stated that nothing definite was known at this time.

A report from Hopewell last night stated that there was a strong rumor that through trains between that city and Richmond would be placed in operation on Wednesday. No verification of this report could be secured.

The yardmaster at Hopewell is understood to have said that he understood the trains would be put into service Wednesday, but that he had yet received no official confirmation.

The trains will make the trip between the Wonder City and Richmond in less than fifty minutes, it is said, and one will leave after every shift.

Officers Are Elected.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
FREDERICKSBURG, VA., December 4.—At the annual meeting of the Fredericksburg Branch of the Association for the Preservation of Virginia Antiquities, held at the home here of Mrs. Charles Wallace, the following officers were re-elected for the coming year: directress, Mrs. D. D. Wheeler; vice-directress, Mrs. Charles Wallace; secretary, Miss Mollie Mander; treasurer, Miss Sallie Gravatt.

Makes Turkey Record.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
FREDERICKSBURG, VA., December 4.—Mrs. Saint Jenkins, of Rappahannock County, has sold this season turkeys raised from three turkey hens to the amount of \$105.

Lam—Miller.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
WOODSTOCK, VA., December 4.—Daniel O. Lam, of Harrisonburg, and Miss Lillie May Miller, were married on Thursday by Rev. S. W. Kuhns, pastor of the Lutheran Church.



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JUDGE DUKE IS ORATOR BEFORE PHI BETA KAPPA

He Delivers Able Address Before
Annual Celebration of
Alpha Chapter.

NEW MEMBERS ARE INITIATED

R. A. Lancaster and J. H. Brent, of
Richmond, Among Those Who Now
Wear Coveted Golden Key—Dr.
Grayson One of Neophytes.

WILLIAMSBURG, VA., December 4.—

The Alpha Chapter of the Phi Beta Kappa Society, celebrated its one hundred and thirty-ninth anniversary in the chapel of Williamsburg College to-day.

Judge Duke spoke with power and charm. His address deeply impressed the audience and was among the ablest of those delivered before the mother of the Phi Beta Kappa Society.

An initiation was held after the conclusion of the public exercises, with the following as neophytes: As members of the chapter, Dr. James Sprunt, of Wilmington, N. C.; Howard B. Bayne, of New York; and Robert A. Lancaster, of Richmond, as alumni members.

Dr. Grayson, of Washington, Colonel Joseph E. Fitzgerald, John R. Trenchard, J. Harper Brent, of Richmond, R. C. Young, of Missouri; A. R. Kountz, of Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore.

A reception was given later in the portrait hall of the college library.

The hostess of honor was Mrs. J. Gardner Tyler, wife of the president of Williams and Mary.

Phi Beta Kappa is not only the oldest of Greek letters and undergraduate fraternities, but it was also in America the original of the college literary and debating society.

The original society was founded at the College of Williams and Mary on December 5, 1776. It included among its student members John Marshall, Richard Lenoir, William Short and Spencer Roane.

The agitation against secret societies after the Revolution caused its members to divulge the ritual of the order, but as a scholarship honor society it later spread throughout the best colleges and universities of America.

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version of America. A powerful in- fluence in this growth was the chapter of Harvard University, established from the parent society at Williams and Mary, through one of its members, a former student of the college, Elisha Parmelee. Some of the most famous men of letters and statesmen of the United States have been members of the famous golden key of Phi Beta Kappa. Many of the presidents of the nation have also been members, President Wilson having the degree conferred upon him by his own university.

The organization is now represented
in over eighty colleges of the United
States which are organized into what
is known as the United Chapters. The
national organization has established
a chapter at Williams and Mary in
honor of the founders. It can be held
only by a son of a member of the so-
ciety. The present scholar is Herbert
Gardner, son of Dr. J. A. C. Gardner,
member of the Williams and Mary chapter.

The present membership of the so-
ciety at Williams and Mary is over 160,
among whom are many of the most
widely known names in America. Some
of those who wear the coveted key are
Thomas Nelson Page, Robert Under-
wood Johnson, Charles W. Kent, Ed-
ward S. Jones, Wycliffe Rose, Albert
Shaw, Lyon Gardiner Tyler, Bishop
A. M. Randolph, John Gardner Pollock,
Philip Alexander Bruce, John Skelton
Williams, William Gordon Metcalf,
Samuel Harrison, Andrew Jackson
Montgomery, James Brown Scott, Dr.
A. E. Winship and Edward A. Valen-
tine.

The Williams and Mary chapter dif-
fers from other chapters in electing
no student members. In its course, but
confers the honor of election only after
an alumnus has graduated with distinction or achieved some noteworthy
election to public service. Honorary
election to membership in Phi Beta
Kappa is a higher distinction than an
honorary degree.

The earliest secret society at Williams
and Mary seems to have been the
Blat Hat Club, of which Thomas Jef-

erson and St. George Tucker were
members. That organization had died,
however, before the birth of the first
fraternity. The original minutes of the
first meeting of the original chapter
are among the most valued records of
the ancient college.

HOPEWELL, VA., December 4.—Two
more resorts were raided here early
this morning by the Hopewell police
force in an effort to break up the
places with which it is said white
slavers in other cities operated. About
ten men and women were arrested on
disorderly conduct charges, and will
be given a hearing in Police Court
Monday.

The police are making every effort
to rid Hopewell of the undesirable,
and believe that by doing this they
will break up what seems to have
been an organized gang of white
slavers who brought women to Hope-
well soon after the boom started last
spring.

Mareno Ross and Mario Beder, who
were fined \$200 and given twelve
months in jail yesterday for running
disorderly houses, and who were
charged along with Patsy Corbi, now
in the Henrico County jail in Rich-
mond, with violating the Mann white-
slave act, will be held for the Federal
authorities.

Lillian Polachos and Eva Secusa,
the two Baltimore girls who testified
at the Police Court hearing yesterday
that they were brought to Hopewell
by Patsy Corbi, from Baltimore, where
they were working in a cigarette fac-
tory, are being held in the Henrico
jail as material witnesses.

HOPEWELL WILL HAVE
TELEPHONE SYSTEM

HOPEWELL, VA., December 4.—A
company is being organized here to
build and operate a telephone system
in Hopewell, and, according to the
plans of the promoters, will be in
operation in a very short time. Steel

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